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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: HB 1214

DATE PREPARED: Feb 22, 2002

BILL AMENDED: Feb 21, 2002

SUBJECT: Board for Coordination of Child Care Regulation.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill extends the expiration date of the law establishing the Board for the Coordination of Child Care Regulation and the terms of Board members to November 1, 2005. The bill provides that the Board operates under the rules of the Legislative Council. The bill requires the Board to: (a) establish a subcommittee to make recommendations concerning revisions to the child care system; and (b) consider the regulation of preschools. The bill also repeals a section allowing the Board to appoint subcommittees. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Board for the Coordination of Child Care Regulation.)

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) This bill would extend the life of the Board, but not the annual budget expenditure. The Board for the Coordination of Child Care Regulation is currently authorized through November 1, 2004. This bill would extend the life of the Board through November 1, 2005. Legislative Council Resolution 01-3, Section 7, currently provides for a budget of \$18,500 for interim study committees of 16 members or greater. This bill requires the State to provide one additional year of funding of \$18,500 in FY 2006, assuming current committee budget levels continue. In addition, this bill states that the Board may not meet when the General Assembly is in session and shall operate under the rules of the Legislative Council.

The Legislative Services Agency is responsible for providing staff for the Board. However, since the Board is subject to the rules of the Legislative Council, any subcommittee staffing and funding is subject to Legislative Council approval.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Legislative Services Agency.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Legislative Council Resolution 01-3.